

***Danville Virginia Department of
Emergency Management
Citizens Corps. Council***



City Department of Emergency Services has allocated some funds

CERT has Demonstrated

- Commitment
- Initiatives
- Volunteering Time
- Helping Citizens

In 2006 Danville CERT Members Volunteered.....



7,632 !

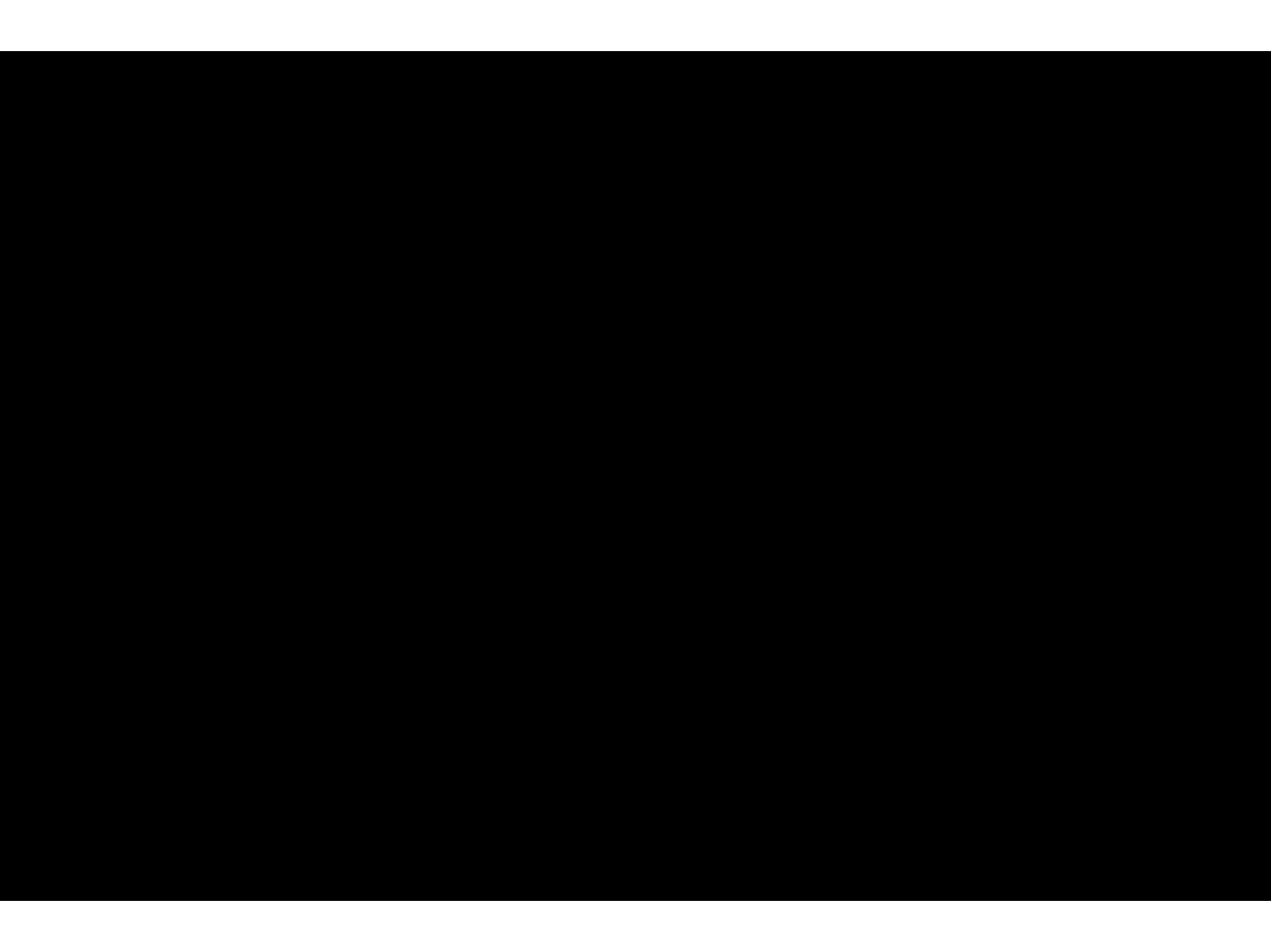
Volunteer Man Hours



Saved our city

\$91,584.00

in 2006



CERT Members assist with

- Animals in Disaster
- The Disabled
- Shelter Operations
- Disaster Psychology
- CERT Command Staff part of LEPC.
- Mass Triage
- EOC Operations



CERT also assisted with..

- **Tornado Response.**
- **Flood Assessment
(New Years day Flood)**
- **Tropical Strom Ernesto**
- **Telephone Incident**
- **VEMA Conference at
Williamsburg, Va.**
- **Campus CERT at Local
Community College.**



Uniqueness of CERT Organization



- CERT Organization included as a Division of
- The City's Department of Emergency Services

CERT has been implemented into :

- **Day Care Centers**
- **School System**
- **Churches**
- **Businesses**
- **Industrial**
- **14 Neighborhood Teams**
- **Retirement Home Community**
- **Campus CERT**
- **Danville / Pittsylvania County CERT taught deaf class**

Campus C.E.R.T.

**Danville
Community
College**



**The
Incident Commander
was a Blind
Faculty Member.**

CERT Teams utilizes ..

- ✓ Bicycle Team to Patrol walking trail
- ✓ Mobile Command Post
- ✓ ATV with victim transport rack.
- ✓ Rehab Unit for extended First Responder Call outs.



Close Media/ Public Relations

- Local ABC News 13 Film's drills.
- Local Channel 20 has shown many segments on CERT.
- CERT Members also trained by National Weather Service in SKY WARN.



Pearlie (The Commander)

- This is Pearlie from the Heritage Towers Retirement Center. She has taken the course twice.
- She's the Boss every where she goes!!



FUTURE ADVERTURES!

- Public Classes....Meet the demand
- Business Classes...additional classes
- Teen Classes...School curriculum addition
- Developing Mental Health CERT Program
- Campus CERT...New classes
- Aggressive Advance Training Programs
- Field Training Exercise's

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